REMARKS

This is in response to the Official Action of March 27, 2008. The Applicant is responding to a requirement for restriction.

The Applicant hereby elects to prosecute the invention described as Group III, namely claims 15-19, and 23-27 which is drawn to an apparatus for handling cup-shaped impactor devices.

The Applicant has further amended claims 6-8, 33-34 and 20-22 to all depend from claim 23, directly or indirectly, and therefore it is respectfully submitted that the claims remaining in this case are all now directed to the invention of Group III relating to the apparatus.

Therefore, the claims reading on the invention are Group III including claims 15-19, 23-27, 6-8, 20-22 and 33-34.

Favorable action is respectfully requested.

Additionally, Applicant is including formal drawings, and it is requested that these replacement sheets to be entered into the case.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to deposit account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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